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AMUSEMENTS.

The first day's sale of seats for the benefit performances of "Minister Extraordinary" for the composer, Barclay Walker, at the Grand, to-morrow afternoon and night, was sufficiently large to indicate the nterest felt in the occasion. The opera is its own merits. The production gives value received in every possible sense. In fact, it peatedly said, the music ranks with pretentious comic operas in its swing and dash. Comic opera pairons get plenty of amusement also, out of Barclay Walker's work. It has been some time since the fair sex had largely attended. Mr. Walker was urged to matinee last week, but it was imshould be filled both afternoon and evening

Frank Lindon and his company will appear twice more at the Park in "The Prisoner of Algiers"-this afternoon and tonight. To-morrow they will put on "The Signal of Liberty," a play of the late Spanish war, which is even more pretentious in point of scenery than "The Prisoner of Algiers." These cool nights are helping the attendance at the Park materially. It is d theatrical weather-unusually so for this time of the year.

Duel Over Bernhardt's Hamlet. PARIS, May 23 .- A duel has been fought

on the Isle de la Grande Gatte between Catulle Mendes, the French author and dramatic critic, and M. Vanar. The quarrel, which led to the meeting, grew out of a dison Saturday last, during an entr'acte, at the theater where Sarah Bernplayed Hamlet in a black costume londe hair. Mendes and Vanar engaged dispute as to whether Hamlet should fat or thin. This is Mendes's fourteenth He is not a good fencer, but walks towards his adversary, waving his sword like a fan. The encounter was stopped four times under the belief that Mendes was wounded and the fifth time it was stopped found him with an ugly wound in the abdo-Vanar obviously tried to wound Mendes in the head or forearm, but the latter was determined to advance and the result was that he sustained a serious wound Vanar expressed regret at the outcome of the encounter, but Mendes, who was placed in a chair, shook hands with his adversary and treated the affair lightly, though it was evident he was suffering great pain. Madame Mendes came to the scene without her husband's knowledge and awaited the end of the duel in a carriage near by. There was an affecting scene between husband and wife. In addition to Madame Mendes there were only four spectators present.

One of the Chorus Stars. Miss Helen Springsteen will sing two coon songs between the second and third "Minister Extraordinary" at the benefit performances at the Grand Thursday afternoon and evening. Miss Springsteen has evidenced marked talent as a comedienne in several productions this sea-son, and her friends and admirers will be glad to learn that Mr. Walker is not going held yellow candles with yellow rose shades. to keep this charming young singer's accomplishments concealed in the ranks of the chorus at the next presentation of the opera. This clever little woman, who is way of singing a ragtime ditty that will constitute a feature which alone will be well worth going to hear Miss Sprivate to Bates, jr., Mrs. George G. Tanner, Mrs. W. sweet singing voice and a rollicking of singing a ragtime ditty that will well worth going to hear. Miss Springsteen only one of a dozen or more really ex-lient singers in the "Minister Extraordichorus, which has been favorably compared with the best operatic chorus heard here this season.

Not the British Guards Band.

London Truth brings the intelligence that the alleged British Guards Band, with the veteran Dan Godfrey at its head, which recently played in this city, is not that band. Most of the players never belonged to the guards or to the army. Mr. Labouchere thinks "in all probability the name was given to the band by the American management, for Lieutenant Dan Godfrey is not the sort of man to care to sail under false colors." All the same, Lieutenant Godfrey was sailing under false colors, for even if the American management was responsible for the name the British lieutenant might have forbidden its use. As the band is admittedly a good one, though not nearly as good as the real guards band, which played in this country thirty years ago, it should have made its American tour on its merits.

Gladys Wallis Married.

NEW YORK, May 23.-Miss Gladys Wallis, the actress, and Mr. Samuel Insull, of Chicago, whose engagement was announced early in the week, were married to-night in this city by the Rev. James Madison Philput. The honeymoon will be spent abroad and on their return the couple will make their home in Chicago, where the groom has business interests.

Bob Cutting Sues for Divorce. NEW YORK, May 23.-Robert L. Cutting has begun suit for absolute divorce from his wife, Minnie Seligman Cutting, better known as Minnie Seligman, the actress.

Councilman Crall's House Robbed. By forcing open a window burglars secured entrance to the home of John H.

Crail, councilman from the Third ward, 2351

North Pennsylvania street, early yesterday morning. Two gold watches and about \$10 in money was taken. It is reported that

such robberies are becoming very numero the northern part of the city.

PERSONAL AND SOCIETY.

Mrs. Charles W. Fairbanks has returned from Springfield, O. Mrs. Charles B. Rockwood has issued invitations for a tea June 1. Miss Florence Coffin has returned from a visit to Mrs. Allen, in Terre Haute. Mrs. Munn, of Louisville, is visiting Mrs. A. W. Hendricks at Woodruff Place. Mrs. S. H. Collins will go to Chicago Saturday to join Mr. Collins and spend some Miss Hord, who has been visiting Mr. and Mrs. S. R. Greer, has returned to her home

Mrs. Charles Lilly has returned from Mt. Clemens, Mich., where she visited the

Mrs. W. M. Meredith, who has been with Mrs. Emily Nicholson, has returned to her home in Chicago. Mrs. Milton Shirk, who has been visiting

Mrs. J. W. Murphy and daughter, will return home to-day. Mrs. Raymond, wife of Major Raymond United States army, is visiting her brother Mr. William C. Bobbs, and family. Mrs. W. A. Ketcham will entertain a few ladies to-morrow for Mrs. Cram, of Iowa, who is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. W. Chis-

turned home yesterday after spending seven weeks with her mother, Mrs. Irene V.

Mrs. Hendricks Talbott and Miss Mary Armington, of Greensburg, are visiting Mrs. S. H. Wiggins at her country place, Riv-

Miss Zilpha Hunter, of Piqua, O., is visit-ing Miss Emma Anderson. Miss Anderson will go to Winona next week to remain un-Mrs. S. E. Morss will entertain the young people who took part in the American Beauty and Royal Middy dance of the Terpsichore Carnival Friday evening at her

Mrs. Theodore Wagner and Miss Emy Martin will leave soon for an extended trip through California, stopping a few days at St. Louis, Salt Lake City, Colorado Springs

The Dramatic Club will hold its annual meeting at the Country Club Friday even-ing. Wagons will be provided to take people from the street cars at Mapleton to the

The Caroline Scott Harrison chapter the Society of the Daughters of the American Revolution will meet Saturday in the and daughter, Miss Margaret Shipp and Mr. clubhouse at Woodruff Place. Mrs. James Lyman were in another box, and Dr. and The Misses Day, who have been with Miss

Miss Leila McKee, president of the West-ern College at Oxford, O., will arrive Fri-day morning to attend the alumnae meeting of the college to be held with Mrs. J. L. McMaster. Miss McKee will be the guest of Mrs. N. S. Driggs.

Mrs. Georgia Gordon Bryson, formerly of Brazil, and Mr. Harry H. McLean, now of Chicago, will be married soon and will reside in this city. Mrs. Bryson and her mother have been making their home with Mr. and Mrs. D. F. Swain

A telegram received yesterday announced the marriage of Mr. William Haerle, young-est son of Mr. and Mrs. William Haerle, of this city, and Miss Enola Wilson, of St. Louis, at Orange, Cal., Monday noon, Mr. Haerle has been residing in California for

A reception will be given by the ladies of the Sixth Christian Church in honor of Dr. church, corner of Elm and Pine streets. Dr. Lucas has accepted a pastorate at Rock-ford, Ill., and will remove his family to that place the 1st of June.

Mr. John H. Schulte and Clara B. Brown were married at the home of the bride's mother, Mrs Louisa Brown, No. 3318 North Delaware street, at 8:30 o'clock last evening. The ceremony was a quiet one. A few of the friends of the family were present. Rev. A. R. Woodsen, of the Sixth Presbyterian Church, officiated. Mrs. Henry S. Hanckel was hostess for

small tea, yesterday afternoon, at her home on North Pennsylvania street. Mrs. Hanckel was assisted by Mrs. John M. Spann, Mrs. Thomas H. Spann and the Misses Spann, Mrs. John B. Sherwood and Mrs. rilliam P. Kappes presided at the coffee ble, assisted by Mrs. Frank H. Blackdge, Mrs. Thomas A. Alford and Miss Julia Fish. Misses Gertrude Spann, Margaret Chislett, of Pittsburg, Rena Tucker and Corinne Robinson served the lemonade. The rooms were made attractive with pink peonies and smilax and the table in the dinng room was in pink.

Mr. and Mrs. T. J. McCune entertained he members of the Sorosis Club, with their husbands, last evening, at their new home Meridian street. The members and guests were costumed to represent advertisements, and prizes were given to the one wearing the handsomest representation and to the one naming the greatest number ing the entertainment was Mrs. McCune, Mrs. H. C. Campbell, Mrs. J. C. Pierson, and they were assisted by Miss McCune, Miss Anna Smith, Miss Herron, Miss Miss Anna Smith, Miss Herron, Miss Genevieve Campbell, Miss McMahan and Miss Pearson. Among the guests was M Benjamin Holland, of Ottawa. Ill. The house was decorated with spring flowers and palms and an elaborate supper was

Mr. and Mrs. Eugene C. Gramling entertained Archbishop Carr and a number of friends and relatives at dinner last evening. The name cards were tied with the archbishop's color, purple and red, and the decorations were carnations. The guests included Monsignor Bessonies, F. ther Shideler, Father Chartrand, Mr. and Mrs. M. O'Connor, Mr. and Mrs. M. Ready, Mr. and Mrs. John Heidlinger, Miss Teresa Caroline Gramling, Miss Loretta Gramling, Messrs, Bernard, Joseph Edward and William O'Conner and Messrs. Simon and Raymond Gramling. Archbishe Carr will be the guest of Mr. and Mrs. M. J. Ready this evening, and to-morrow he will go to Kentucky to make a visit until Saturday, when he will return to this city. Mrs. James Robert McKee was the guest of honor, yesterday, at a golden luncheon given by Mrs. Eb Shirk, at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John W. Murphy. The polished table held mats of Battenberg ace, and the name cards, painted by Mrs. Garhart, were attached to golden French baskets holding yellow confections. A crys-At each end of the table was a golden basket filled with yellow pansies and the central kind of flowers. All of the appointments barely half way through her teens, has a were exquisite and the golden color pre-J. McKee, Mrs. William L. Elder, Mrs. Arthur B. Grover, Mrs. Augustus Lynch Mason, Mrs. George T. Porter, Miss Julia G. Sharpe and Miss Caroline Howland,

BUTLER-HIGGINS. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. VALPARAISO, Ind., May 23.-At the home of the bride's parents to-day Prof. Harold L. Butler, a member of the Castlesquare Opera Company, and Miss Florence Higgins, professor of elocution in the Northern Indiana Normal and Law Schools and the only woman lawyer in northern Indiana, were united in marriage. Rev. J. H. O. Smith, pastor of Union Christian Church,

Chicago, officiated.

Mr. Young's Metamorphosis. Friends of Archibald A. Young, collector of customs of this port, enjoyed considerable sport last evening over the amusing situations in which Mr. Young was placed owing to the removal of a certain hirsute adornment of the upper lip. Some one tells that after the said removal, and while yet in the barber's chair, Mr. Young turned to the barber working at the next chair and said, "How do you do," to which he re-ceived a chilly response. The artist of the brush and rayor did not know him. Just hen a man v 10 has a certain legal standing and who has long known the collector, came in. This man was addressed by Mr. Young in a manner indicating unmistakably an acquaintance, but again he was unrecognized and received what in slang terms is called the "frozen face." It is also said that when Mr. Young returned to his office his stenographer did not know him and arose from her chair and politely asked if she could attend to his wants, or you wish to see Mr. Young?"

Colored People's Mass Meeting. It is announced that a mass meeting of olored people will be held at Allen's Chapel to-night "to voice approval of the administration's policy with reference to the Phil-

GREAT NIGHT FOR RILEY

AND A GREAT NIGHT FOR THE GREAT AUDIENCE THAT HEARD HIM.

The Hoosier Poet Given a Tremen dons Welcome-He Gave the Old Favorites.

The Indianapolis public honored itself last evening, in honoring the Hoosier poet and paying its tribute of appreciation in an audience that filled every seat and two rows Miss Julia Spades will return to-morrow of chairs in the orchestra of English's Opera House. It was a representative audience that had an earnest desire to hear Mr. out by any curiosity, as is occasioned by a person much heralded but personally unknown. The audience wanted to hear him recite the old things, the ones familiar to the public in general. There were men and women who brought their old parents, who know his poems and can and do understand their sympathet's pathos and who enjoy his bubbling humor, and there were parents Mrs. Lydia Nicholson, of Chicago, re- who brought their children, that they might see and hear the writer of the verses which they have recited through their kindergarten years and in school. The audience The Misses Holman will give a luncheon to-morrow in honor of Miss Day, of Milwaukee, and Miss Wadsworth, of Rock Island, Ill.

garten years and in school. The audience was one that was unique in that it held the old theater-goer and the old church-goer Island, Ill. alike, and each brought there for the one purpose of having their feelings played upon by Mr. Riley in the same way that he might take up his violin and touch its

In the center box on one side was Mr. Riley's own party, Governor and Mrs. Mount, Mr. and Mrs. Charles L. Holstein Mr. and Mrs. H. P. Wasson, Dr. and Mrs. F. W. Hays and their two sons, and on the opposite side of the house his sisters, Mrs. Henry Eitel and Mrs. Frank C. Payne, with Mr. Eitel, Mrs. and Miss Laughlin, of Chicago, Miss Harriet Eitel, Mr. W. C. Bobbs and his sister, Mrs. Raymond, and Misses Elizabeth Eitel and Leslie Payne. Mr. and Mrs. English occupied their box with Mr. John J. Curtis. Mr. and Mrs. V. T. Malott, the Misses Malott and Mr. and Mrs. E. H. Evans had a box. Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Prati Lyman were in another box, and Dr. and Mis. E. F. Hodges, Mrs. Addison Bybee and daughter, Mr. and Mrs. Walter L. Milliken Helen Krag, will be with their aunt, Mrs.
T. C. Day, after to-day. Mr. W. A. Krag has returned from a trip to South America with his sister, Mrs. Peters, of Columbus Of Governor Mount with Mr. Riley there was an outburst of applause, which quickly was an outburst of applause, which quickly

"I find myself in a somewhat anomalous position, for the reason that I have been omplimented by an invitation to introduce distinguished gentleman who needs no introduction. The author who has so grown in tions from classical assembiages is a genius The poet who, when he strikes his lyre, touches responsive chords in other hearts that vibrate in harmony with the soul of the singer, is a master of art. The State that produces such a genius and master is to be congratulated, and the people who appreclate and honor such talent are to be commended. What shall I say in this magnificent presence in presenting the genius we admire and the master we love? His own words, as he has applied them to 'Doc Sifers,' seem quite sufficient:

A GREAT ROUND OF APPLAUSE. Mr. Riley was received with applause which grew and grew until the sound was almost deafening. It subsided a trifle and then was renewed again and again, proving beyond question that there is no one person the Indiana people welcome quite as heartily as this man, who takes their thoughts and puts them into speech that touches and throbs and thrills them with emotion or bids them shake with laughter. Mr. Riley essayed several times to speak and was vis ibly affected by the enthusiasm and heartiness of his reception, but when at last he had an opportunity he thanked the people before him and said that he felt a sense of obligation because he had received so much at their hands. He said that for many years he had known this city and people until it had become a home to him, and explained that his embarrassment at the reeption was almost as great as his grati-

It is seldom that a man who writes has the gift of reading what he writes, as Mr Riley has. His is no taught elocution; he follows no cast-iron rules of gesticulation and follows no Delsarte principles. It is his spontaniety in expression and action that is a great part of his charm. What ever the thought and words suggest, he programme of three parts was prefaced by an explanation of the situation eliciting the poem. The first was the philosophy of a Hoosier farmer, the man who knows a half dozen books, such as the Book of Books the "History of Daniel Boone," the Scottish Chiefs and Watts's hymns. Everyone knows it, this bit of philosophy about the weather, "It may rain to-morrer, but don't think it will," and the last lines:

"For the world is full of roses And the roses full of dew. And the dew is full of heavenly love

That drips for me and you. HIS PATHETIC "GOOD-BYE, JIM." The next was the story of the late war thirty years ago [laughter]-"Good-bye, Jim. Take Keer Yourself," with its pathos and love of the stient old man for his soldier son. Handkerchiefs were used, and the last word was scarce spoken when the applause shook the house. Mr. Riley returned and gave that inimitable study in dialect of the man that likes a funny story, but is not a story teller himself. The man was, Mr. Riley said, as Mr. Nye would describe him -"not formed for speaking, but good as an extemporaneous listener. You may have heard his story before, but you cannot tell him so, and you can't kill him." Then Mr. Riley gave the story of the man who car-ried the soldier with a leg shot off to the rear for surgical aid, and the victim's head was shot off en route. When Mr. Riley tells a story he shows a picture at the same time, for in everything he recites there is a story, and so a description of such a situation is only complete with the whole. These numbers were from "The Annals of the Poor." The second group was "Hoosier Verse." "Out to Old Aunt Mary's" was one favorice given, and one could see the gourds growing over the door, could smell the apple cellar and feel the freshness of th springhouse, "where waters laughed and gurgled and wept," and there was weeping in the audience as he concluded:

"Tell the boys that all is well Out to old Aunt Mary's." The next story was of the veteran a Washington trying to get a pension, in which he is being assisted by an old friend, now a member of Congress, who is very rich. At an evening party the two get away from the lights and music and crowd, and talk over old times, and the rich man wishes he could get back to the old kitchen stove and rest himself as he used to do. The veteran returns home and tells of his experiences, and makes the comment, "There's nothin' pathetiker than just a bein' rich."

By special request Mr. Riley recited "Old Glory," a poem which will doubtless become a classic in the long list of poems which have been written to do honor to the flag. In word and line and action Mr. Riley passed out of his work, which has become so distinctive, and took on a new character. There was a sublimity of thought and it was expressed in pose, polse and gesture, which found ready response in the patriotic thrill o'clock. which was felt throughout the house. recall for this was the German-English dialect, the quaint and pathetic "Dat Leetle Boy of Mine." Owing to lack of voice, he did not respond to the applause which followed this, but begged a rest for his voice previous to the last number. This was the story of the little boy who entertained his sister's beau, the communicative lad of seven, who tells all the news of the neighporhood and proves it by the little brother 'Charlie." The conclusion was the recitation of "Orphant Annie." Mr. Riley selected the very poems that every one wanted to hear. Many of them he has given many times, but it is the old ones that are liked. Many more would have gladly been heard if the voice had allowed. It is years since Mr. Riley has given his friends in this city such a treat. The musical part of the programme was given by Miss Schellschmidt, Miss Igelman, Mrs. S. L. Kiser and Mr. Karl Schnei-

The Riley Reading Saturday. Miss Orlopp, violinist, who was received so enthusiastically at the concert given for her last week, has consented to play a number at the reading to be given by Mr. Riley

Boys' Club. She will play Wilhelmy's polonaise, "Concertstuck." Mr. Riley will read from the following of his works: "Poems Here at Home." "Hoosier Themes," "Life Studies" and "Our Little Folks." Besides Miss Orlopp, the Guonod Quartet, consisting of Miss Josephine Robinson, Mrs. Raschig, B. F. Miller and Louis Dochez, will render a number from "The Persian will render a number from "The Persian Garden," Mr. Dochez will sing Jules Benedict's "Rage, Thou Angry Storm," and Mrs. Raschig will give the prayer and aria from "Der Freischutz." The sale of seats will open this morning at the box office of the Grand Opera House, where the entertainment is to be given. The prices will be 50 cents, 75 cents and \$1, and, as the advance cale for the entertainment last night almost taxed the capacity of English's Opera House, it is expected the sale to-day will be unusually large. The patronesses for the event will be

Mesdames Jacqueline Holliday, Franz Bellinger, W. H. Coleman, Henry Eitel, W. J. Richards, J. L. Griffiths, E. J. Foster, J. A. Sutcliffe, M. V. McGilliard, T. C. Day, Clarence Kenyon, C. E. Coffin, R. O. Hawkins, J. H. Vajen, Stella Lee, W. S. Fish, J. Warington, Fred Lorenz, Frank Gavin, F. E. Hale, E. S. Elder, W. S. Wynn, C. A. Wallingford, Samuel Rauh, C. S. Denny, V. M. Backus, R. W. Furnas, John T. Brush, J. B. Curtis, George Merritt, E. M. Thompson, K. R. Butler, George Stiltz, G. S. Row.

Will Net Over \$1,000.

The entire proceeds of last night's entertainment will go to the Art Association, after deducting the necessary expenses. The association will realize over \$1,000. Mr. Riley did not specify which fund of the association he wished to profit by these re-

COLOR LINE IN MASONRY

INDIANA CONDEMNS THE RECOGNI-TION GRANTED IN WASHINGTON.

Report of a Committee on Subject-Wm. Geake, of Fort Wayne, Grand Master.

Five hundred and twelve delegates gathered yesterday for the meeting of the Grand Lodge of Masons. The following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Grand Master-William Geake, Fort Deputy Grand Master-Olin E. Holloway, Senior Grand Warden-Orlando

Brownback, Pendleton. Junior Grand Warden-James W. Dunbar, Grand Treasurer-Martin H. Rice, Indian-Grand Secretary-William H. Smythe, In-Trustee-I. P. Leyden, New Albany.

The following committees were appointed and will report at the session to-day: Credentials—W. H. Smythe, D. F. Birshim, F. Schoppenhorst, H. J. Foulks, C. A. Wood, Cory Mull.

Examining Visiting Brethren—W. T. Anderson, S. Riddle, Robert Clarke, S. A. Gla-Leyden, S. W. Douglass, L. A. Foote, I O'Rourke, E. R. Prather, E. W. Bowen.

Niblack, H. H. Montfort, Albert Payne, M. L. Frederick, N. R. Elliett.
Pay Roll-M. H. Rice, R. W. Cox, A. T.
Bitters, E. W. Barrows, W. H. Liggett, R. Hamilton. Correspondence-N. R. Ruckle, R. Graves, W. W. Taylor, F. W. Fanning, Henshaw. Accounts-G. E. Grimes, W. H. Marker, Charters and Dispensations-J. A. Lingle, E. Huff, John Castor. Grievances and Appeals-D. A. Myers, W. Waltman, John Zimmerman. Jurisprudence-T. B. Long, N. R. Ruckle, S. P. Gillette, Daniel McDonald, F. E. Gavin, C. W. Prather, B. S. Sutton. Necrology-J. T. O'Neil, L. V. Cravens, J. M. Roberts.

A committee was appointed to recommend the action the Grand Lodge of Indiana should take in regard to the action of the Grand Lodge of the State of Washington in recognizing negro Freemasons. The committee reported that the Grand Lodge of Indiana should sever fraternal relations with the Grand Lodge of Wachington until the latter rescinded its objectionable action. The recommendation was adopted.

The secretary's report for the past year showed that the receipts were \$71,344.67 and the expenditures \$53,375.98, leaving a balance of \$17,968.69. The Grand Lodge held \$30,-974.79 in securities at the beginning of last year, and this was turned into cash.

LAW SCHOOL BANQUET.

Toasts Responded to Last Night-Graduating Exercises.

The annual spring banquet was given by he Indiana Law School Association last night at Hotel English, three tables being James L. Gavin presided as toastmaster and the following toasts were responded to: "Declining Years," James Noel, '95; "Wireless Telegraphy," A. Alfred Dickey, '96 "The Law School," Albert Smith, '97; "Secret Societies in Politics," Ira W. Holmes, 98: "The Successful Student," Edward T. Honan, '99; "The Lesson of the Hour," Leon Leroy Mott; "At Large," W. P. Fishback; "Rights of Married Women Under the Common Law," John R. Wilson, and "The New Hub," Rev. Burris A. Jenkins.

Law School Commencement. ment exercises to-night at the Grand Opera House. John G. Williams will deliver the commencement address on "The Judiciary." President Jenkins, of the University of Indianapolis, will deliver the diplomas and Judge F. T. Baker, of the Supreme Court, will administer the oath to the sixty-two young men who compose the class. On the following morning the class will be admitted to practice in the Federal Court.

NEW STOCK YARDS.

Articles of Incorporation to Be Filed in a Few Days.

Within a few days a new stock yards company will file articles of incorporation. The incorporators will be D. P. Erwin and Alvin S. Lockard of this city, Fred F. Squires and Frank E. Humphreys of Boston, and H. L. Mellis of Chicago. Options have been secured on several pieces of ground on the Belt Railroad, but as yet no deal has been closed. The new stock yards will cover from six to fifteen acres of ground.

"We did not care to make the scheme public," explained Mr. Erwin, "until we were ready to incorporate, because we did not want people to think it unsubstantial." The new company will not buy or sell stock, but will rent facilities for commission men. The promotors expect the new yards will attract outside buyers and commission men to the Indianapolis market.

CITY NEWS NOTES.

There will be a strawberry social this evening, at the Fourth Presbyterian Church The memorial services for the late Gen. A.
D. Streight will be held at the old homestead at Tuxedo, Sunday afternoon, at 2

Hon. Daniel Fraser, of Fowler, is here to Dagne with the Indiana Law School this The Indiana Soldiers' Aid Society will hold meeting this morning at 11 o'clock in the woman's department of the Indiana Trust

Mrs. George C. Hitt will read a paper of "The American Way" before the Y. W. C. A. Friday evening. There will be no admission and a social hour will follow. The cement walks on the north side of the monument are being taken up to give place to Indiana stone. It is the intention to remove all cement on the monument proper

except that around the shaft. The entertainment of the Old Maids' Conention will be given this evening, at Mick's Hall, Illinois and Thirtieth streets, for the benefit of Grace Presbyterian Church, and under the direction of Mrs. Harriet Augusta

The Franklin College Glee Club will give concert. Friday evening, at the Collegeis the director of the organization. There are eighteen members in the club and they ber at the reading to be given by Mr. Riley give choruses, quartets and solos. Mr. F. G. Saturday evening for the benefit of the Kenney is the instrumentalist with the club.

"MICK" LEVI HUTCHINSON HAS THE LEVI BLOOD IN HER VEINS.

Is Still Young-Hoosier Klondiker Sold a "Salted" Mine.

ARCADIA, Ind., May 23.-Mrs. Charles

Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

Hutchinson, the wife of a glassblower of this town, shot and instantly killed her husband this morning after a violent quarrel, which had been in progress for an hour. The wife secured a revolver and fired three bullets in the body of her husband, one in the abdomen, one in the left shoulder and one in the left side. Hutchinson was under the influence of liquor this morning when he began to upbraid his wife in a jealous way, accusing her of improper conduct. The two went out to the street and continued the quarrel. Finally Hutchinson went back into the house and his wife followed. A few minutes later the neighbors heard the three shots, and Mrs. Hutchinson came running out, crying that she had killed her husband, and adding that he had attacked her in the house with either a knife or a pair of "knucks." The neighbors found the husband dead on the floor. Mrs. Hutchinson was put under arrest and later bound over to the court at Noblesville, where she was taken. Hutchinson and his wife had been married but six months, and their unhappiness began soon after their marriage. Both were about twenty-five years old. She was regarded as a goodlooking woman. The two lived with Hutchinson's father, also a glassblower. The family had lived in Arcadia about three years. Ayres & Jones, of Indianapolis, have been employed to defend her. The sentiment of the people here is that the woman was jus-tified in firing at her husband. The weapon used was a .32 calibre revolver, which the wife had about the house.

It Was Her Fifth Husband.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NOBLESVILLE, Ind., May 23.-Mrs. Myrtle Hutchinson, who shot her husband at Arcadia, is better known as "Mick" Levi. e was formerly a resident of this city This is the fifth husband of "Mick" Levi. Her third husband was Ed Caylor, who committed suicide by throwing himself under a Panhandle train four years ago. "Mick" Levi is a daughter of Tom Levi of fast horse fame. Her uncle was the notorious Lyle Levi, who, with four others, was lynched in the Versailles jail two years ago in Ripley county.

INDIANA OBITUARY.

Mrs. Minnie Doxey, Widow of Major Doxey, Dies Suddenly in New York.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. ANDERSON, Ind., May 23 .- Mrs. Minnie Doxey, wife of the late Maj. Charles T Doxey, left Anderson last Friday night to visit her sister, Mrs. Defrees Critten, in New York city. Mrs. Doxey was accompanied by her brother, T. N. Stilwell. She had but recently returned from Hot Springs, having gone there for the benefit of her health. This morning word was received here that Mrs. Doxey had died last night at the home of her sister. The unexpected news was hardly credited at first, and the entire city is profoundly stirred over the death of so popular and beloved a woman. Being possessed of ample means she made good use of them, and no worthy charitable movement was ever permitted to pass with out her support. There is not a single charitable organization in the city that is not indebted to her. The remains will reach Anderson Wednesday noon and the funeral services will be held Thursday afternoon. Mrs. Doxey has no children. Her estate is variously estimated from \$175,000 to \$225,000.

Mrs. R. A. Evilsizer. pecial to the Indianapolis Journal. PORTLAND, Ind., May 32.-News ha been received here of the death from pneumonia of Mrs. R. A. Evilsizer, at Dalton, Ga., where she was in the employ of a large music publishing house as a writer words and music and a contributor to musical magazines. Mrs. Evilsizer left here in this city for many years, was a member of several society organizations and a frequent contributor to newspapers, magazines and musical books, her nom de plume being

Katharine Kinsey. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. HAGERSTOWN, Ind., May 23.-Katharine Kinsey, wife of Rev. Lewis Kinsey, it dead. She was nearly eighty years old, and lived in this township nearly all her life. Mr. and Mrs. Kinsey were among the wealthiest people in the county. David Kinsey, of the First National Bank, of New Castle, and Martin Kinsey, a farmer near New Castle, are their children.

EXILED FROM ALASKA.

J. H. Paget, of Hartford City, Disposed of a "Salted" Mine. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. HARTFORD CITY, Ind., May 23.-Word

has been received here that J. H. Paget, a former resident and business man of this city, is in serious trouble in Alaska. He has been banished from the Territory for ber of speculators. Paget, who is an expert machinist, came to Hartford City several years ago and established the Hartford City iron works, which has since been destroyed by fire. Paget has an interesting history and is a man of wide experience. When the Alaskan gold fever started Paget and a number of Andersonians left for the new Eldorado. There were suspicions regarding the richness of the mammoth lode, in which many prospectors had been in-

duced to invest, and investigations were raade which led to the accusation against Paget. He was accused on Dec. 14, but asked that they investigate further. On being requested to accompany the committee and point out the richest part of the lode he refused. The committee went without him, and at the meeting called to try him brought in a report that the lode was bar-ren. Paget was tried before a jury of thirty-five miners and found guilty. His sentence was imprisonment at Rampart City under charge of Lieutenant Bell until spring, when he is to be sent out of the country. His principal victim was the Soo-Yukon Company, composed of Sault Ste. Marie, Mich., miners. Paget is an old min-ing expert and in the California gold fields made and lost several fortunes. He belonged at one time to a band of government scouts, being personally acquainted with such famous characters as Buffalo Bill, Wild Bill California Joe and other Western celebrities of the early days. He witnessed the death of Wild Bill, who claimed the reputation of killing more white men than any desperado. Paget had been with Custer just before he made his last stand.

Athletic Contest Winners.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COVINGTON, Ind., May 23 .- The Covington High School pupils have held their preliminary athletic contest preparatory to sending representatives to the interscholastic meet to take place at Newby Oval May 27. The Covington track and field teams, under the leadership of Captain Arista De Haven, is in training and expects to bring home some of the medals. Following are the entries: One-hundred-yard dash, Samued Boord, Charles Dett and Arista De Haven; 220-yard dash, Claude Livingston, Samuel Boord and Charles Dett; 440-yard run, Dett and Livingston; one-mile run, Howard Myers and Frank Miller; 120-yard hurdle, Arthur Rice, Guy Hart and Sam Boord: 890-yard bicycle, John Martin and Lee Duncan; mile bicycle, same; running high jump, Guy Hart and Arthur Rice; pole vault, Arista De Haven and Sam Boord; standing broad jump, Roy Gwynn, Charles Dett and Arthur Rice; running broad jump, same; running hop, step and jump, same contestants and Sam Boord; twelve-pound shot put, Frank Miller, Arista De Haven and Claud Livingston; twelve-pound hammer throw, Miller and Livingston.

Will Pay Under Barrett Law.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. KIRKSVILLE, Ind., May 23.-After a delay of three weeks work was resumed on street improvements to-day under the Bar-

rett law, by the Capital Paving Company, of Indianapolis. After tearing up the streets ready for brick, the property owners filed a protest with the contractors, de-

claring they would not pay for the work, they being of the opinion that the Barrett law was not good. Operations immediately ceased. Since then public opinion has changed regarding the law and the signers

of the protest withdrew their names, the last one giving in to-day. The contractors resumed work this morning. About a mile of streets will be built here this summer. High School Students Suspended.

pecial to the Indianapolis Journal. ANDERSON, Ind., May 23 .- The Anderson School Board to-day suspended Frank Remey and Archie Keltner, members of the graduating class of the High School, for a breach of discipline. They tore down a class flag of the Juniors in the assembly room and resisted the demand of Professor Welborn, who asked the young men to return the flag to him. When called to account for their conduct by Superintendent Carr and Principal Pearcy the young men were so impudent that on consultation with the School Board, they were suspended eight days before commencement day. The senior class is expected to take some action in de-fense of its two suspended members.

Miers Wants a Sure Thing.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., May 23.-Representative Robert W. Miers evidently sees the handwriting on the wall and has caused it to be announced officially that he will not be a candidate for Governor, but will remain in Congress from the Second district if indorsed by the Democrats. Until recently it was the intention of Mr. Miers to enter the contest for Governor, and Demo-cratic papers of the district had so an-nounced. The change of base is evidently due to the political situation, which gives no promise for Democratic success on the State ticket. In this congressional distric the normal Democratic majority will probably keep him in Congress.

Struck Oil in Henry County. special to the Indianapolis Journal.

NEW CASTLE, Ind., May 23 .- While engaged in drilling for gas at Mt. Summit, four miles north of this city, to-day the drill pentrated a good vein of oil. The vein was struck at ninety feet in Trenton rock and has the appearance of being a paying well. The presence of oil in this vicinity has been suspected for some time, as several abandoned gas wells have given off unmistakable signs of oil recently. It is reported to-night that the oil has ceased to flow, showing that it was a small pocket struck and that the drillers are going deeper for gas. The idea of oil is not entirely aban-

Young Attorneys Get a Verdict. pecial to the Indianapolis Journal.

COLUMBUS, Ind., May 23.-Elmer E. Roland, of Greensburg, and Albert N. Blessing, of this city, brought a civil action against the Burnett estate to recover attorneys' fees, the complaint alleging that Roland and Blessing were responsible for the evidence in the celebrated Burnett will case being brought to light. After the evi-dence was collected, the Burnett heirs employed additional legal counsel and dropped Roland and Blessing. The jury had the case under consideration for several hours and finally decided that the young attorneys were entitled to \$350. Judge Hacker appeared as counsel for the young attorneys.

A "Maiden Lady" No Longer. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

PATRIOT, Ind., May 23.-Charles H. Stone, a silversmith, went to Warsaw. Ky., recently and bought a small jewelry store. He made love to Miss Susie Griffin, a maiden lady, and a few days later they were married and started up the river or a wedding tour. Yesterday the bride's father received a letter from her at Lawrenceburg asking for money to get home. as her husband had gone with her purse and jewelry. Later developments show that while at Warsaw he robbed watches of valuable jewels, duplicating them with imi-tations that required an expert to detect.

Big Cocking Main in Indiana. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

DECATUR, Ind., May 23.-About eigh miles west of this city last Sunday. Adams county, forty cock fights were pulled off, with birds and their backers from Fort Wayne, Bluffton, Portland, Montpelier, Winchester and Decatur. During the main, one of the largest ever held in Indiana, twenty-five birds were killed in the pit. Several hundred dollars changed hands, with Montpelier and Bluffton roosters first winners and Fort Wayne second. Over two hundred sports, who kept the fight quiet, were present. The grand jury is expected to investigate the affair.

Five Prisoners Break Jail.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. NOBLESVILLE, Ind., May 23 .- There was another jail delivery here last night, making the second one in the last month. Those who escaped are Fay Kerr, Dick Burk, James Applegate, William Smith and Fay Curl. All were confined for minor offenses. broke jail by demolishing an iron bedstead and using one of the rods to break a lock on the door to the upper tier of cells. Gaining access to the attic they escaped through a hole in the wall and lowered themselves by ropes made out of blankets torn into

Winchester Graduates.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. WINCHESTER, Ind., May 23 .- The gradvating exercises of the Winchester High School took place at the Friends' Church this evening, the following being the speakers: Mary Lee Kinkead. Cliff Garfield Bales, Grace Estella Pierce and Charles furnished by Hiatt's Orchestra. Superintendent O. R. Baker bestowed the diplomas. One of the best high-school buildings in

Scale for Prescription Ware Glass.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MUNCIE, Ind., May 23.-The prescriptionware branch of the Flint Glass Workers Union has settled its scale for the coming year. Last week the workers' committee prepared their list for the coming season showing a demand for an increase of 11 per cent. In addition to this a full summer vacation, from July to September, will be granted in 1900. Under the new scale the blowers get a discount of 9 per cent. off the '92 list on large ware and 6 per cent. on ware under eight ounces.

Shot by His Own Thief Trap. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

GREENSBURG, Ind., May 23 .- Thomas Hargett, aged seventeen, residing with his widowed mother on a farm six miles south of this place, fixed a gun-trap in his corncrib for a supposed thief and received the contents in his right groin. The trap was so arranged that when the crib door was orened the thief would receive the contents of the gun. Forgetting his trap he went to the crib to get some corn, sprung the trap and now suffers from a serious wound.

Took an Overdose of Morphine. Special to the Indianapolis Journal.

MUNCIE, Ind., May 23.-Mrs. Rose Slater dled yesterday from morphine, which supposed to have been taken in an overdose by mistake. She was in the habit of taking the drug. Her husband was away at the time, and when her daughter came home from church and found her mother alone it was too late. The father came home soon after the death, left again and cannot be located.

Homing Pigeon Race To-Day. special to the Indianapolis Journal

WINCHESTER, Ind., May 23.-The Cleveland Homing Pigeon Club, of Cleveland, has 148 trained carrier pigeons here which will be liberated to-morrow morning at o'clock if the weather be favorable. club has offered a prize of \$100 to the owner of the bird registering the first return to the home roost. It is expected the birds will make the 200 miles from here to Cleveland in fine time.

A Society Sensation.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. COLUMBUS, Ind., May 23.-A society sensation was the announcement received here to-day of the marriage of Dr. Frank Doty. of North Vernon, and Miss Gertrude Long, one of the best known society young wom-en of this city. The wedding took place at Louisville Sunday. The couple will make their honeymoon trip to the northern lakes.

Allen Will Stand His Trial. special to the Indianapolis Journal.

BEDFORD, Ind., May 23.-James Allen under indictment for attempted bribery or City Council in a fire alarm system and who departed last week, forfeiting a \$500 bond given by Attorney Padgett, of WashWasson's

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SUMMER RESORTS. LONG BRANCH. West End Hotel and Cottages. CO TTAGES OPEN JUNE 8, HOTEL OPEN New York Office, 115 Broadway (Room 76.) W. E. HILDRETH, Mgr.

ington, returned to-day and gave himself up to the sheriff. His trial will come up Fri-

Boy Shot While Hunting. special to the Indianapolis Journal. BLOOMINGTON, Ind., May 23.-Frank Skirven, a seventeen-year-old boy, living on

a companion to-day and was fatally shot while cleaning out his gun. He thought the cartridges had been removed from the gun, and young Skirven received the charge in the abdomen. He is yet alive. Elopers Not Lionized. Special to the Indianapolis Journal. MARTINSVILLE, Ind., May 23 .- Mr. and

Mrs. Giles Dickson, who eloped last Wednes-

day and were married at Louisville, have

Maple Heights, this city, went hunting with

they are not being lionized by their relatives and friends here. They will remain here for the present.

Sheriff Stopped Prize Fight. special to the Indianapolis Journal. KOKOMO, Ind., May 23 .- A prize fight beween Jack Tierney, of this city, and an unknown, scheduled to take place at or near Greentown, was not pulled off. The fighters were on hand ready but Sheriff Harness was also present and put a stop

o the proceedings. Republican Daily in Peru.

Special to the Indianapolis Journal. PERU, Ind., May 23.-The Morning News, owned by J. E. Sutton, of Logansport, and managed by J. E. Raey, formerly of Laporte, came out Tuesday as a Republican paper. It is now the only Republican dally

Indiana Notes. Judge J. T. Cox, of the Peru Circuit Court, a brother of Judge Cox, of Indian-apolis, has been presented with a rosewood gavel from Matanzas by a Huntington sol-

The members of Wahash K. of P. Lodge will take a vote this week on building the new \$30,000 opera house, plans for which have been adopted. It is believed the proposition will carry. Thomas Seymour, of Wabash, three weeks

ago had his leg amputated on account of tuberculosis of the knee joint. His recovery

was believed to be assured until yesterda; when he became worse and died. He was fifty-five years old. ly capitalized at \$400,000, is starting to drill oil wells for fuel in the old Peru fair grounds, where the works are to be built and which will be platted into an addition

known as West Peru. Devastation is near being wrought in Wayne county orchards and wheat fields. In the former it is being done by a green worm that riddles the trees, and in the lat-ter by the Hessian fly. Not only entire trees, but, in some instances, entire orchards, have been affected. George H. Hopper, the Westcott Hotel manager, at Richmond, recently lost \$50 on

a bogus check. The man who passed the check gave the name of H. Cohen, of New

York, and claimed to represent Zugsmith & Finegold, of Pittsburg. The check he drew was on the Monongahela Bank, of Pittsburg. Has a Mania for It. In Police Court yesterday morning the charge against Charles Stone, who criminally assaulted a four-year-old girl Monday, was changed to assault and battery, and upon this charge Judge Cox sent Stone to the workhouse for 180 days in addition to

a fine of \$500, of which there is no doubt he will also serve that out. Stone has been in the workhouse before for the same of-fense and seems to be irresponsible and with a mania for such acts. Very Fond of His Newspaper. John P. McConnell, 928 Dougherty street, was arrested by Bicycle Police Holtz and Bray, charged with assault and battery

wife did not know where it was. She says he choked her, threw her on the floor and beat her. She said they had been married for twenty years and he had often whipped her and she could stand it no longer.

upon his wife. When McConnell went home for supper he asked for a newspaper. His

Last Night's Whist Game. The American Whist Club of this city defeated the Indianapolis Club last night in the championship series. The American players were C. E. Coffin, John Cleland, Thomas R. Sullivan and S. A. Bond, while their opponents were F. M. Herron, George Yandes, Albert Daller and Walter Wright, The score stood: American Club, gain, 21 Indianapolis club, gain, 8; net gain for American Club, 13.

